

# City of Eureka, CA City Council Regular Meeting Tuesday, May 18, 2021 6:00 PM

# COUNCIL CHAMBERS, 531 K STREET EUREKA, CA 95501

# **AGENDA**

#### ELECTED OFFICIALS

Mayor Susan Seaman Councilmember Leslie Castellano, Ward 1 Councilmember Kati Moulton, Ward 2 Councilmember Natalie Arroyo, Ward 3 Councilmember Scott Bauer, Ward 4 Councilmember Kim Bergel, Ward 5

#### LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

The land that Eureka rests on is known in the Wiyot language as Jaroujiji. Past actions by local, State and Federal governments removed the Wiyot and other indigenous peoples from the land and threatened to destroy their cultural practices. The City of Eureka acknowledge the Wiyot community, their elders both past and present, as well as future generations. This acknowledgement demonstrates the City's commitment to dismantle the ongoing legacies of settler colonialism.

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the meeting. All comments received by e-mail or mail will be part of the public record for Council consideration but will not be read aloud during the meeting.

For items not on the agenda, please make a note that is a "Public Comment" submission. Only those messages that state they are for public comment will be included in the record.

#### PUBLIC COMMENT

(Limited to 3 minutes each speaker on Closed Session items only)

#### **CLOSED SESSION - 5:00 P.M.**

If closed session items cannot be completed by 5:55 P.M., they will be continued at the conclusion of the regular agenda, provided there is time. If time does not allow then those closed session items will be continued to the next regular meeting.

Conference with Legal Counsel - Initiation of Litigation (1 Case)

Pursuant to California Government Code paragraph (4) of Subdivision (d) of section 54956.9

Conference with legal counsel – existing litigation

City of Eureka v. Purdue Pharma, L.P., et al.,

United States District Court Northern District of Ohio Case No. 1:18-op-46092

Pursuant to Section 54956.9 California Government Code

Conference with legal counsel - existing litigation

Stacy Cobine, et al v. City of Eureka et al

United States District Court Northern District of California, Oakland Division Case No. 16-cv-02239-JSW

Pursuant to California Government Code Section 54956.9 (d) (1)

REGULAR SESSION – 6:00 P.M.

**ROLL CALL** 

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

REPORT OUT OF CLOSED SESSION

#### **MAYOR'S ANNOUNCEMENTS**

EPD Volunteer Peter Vallerga Peace Officer Memorial Week 2021 Mental Health Matters Proclamation

**PRESENTATIONS** 

**BOARD/COMMISSION REPORTS** 

PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD

This is the time for members of the public who wish to be heard on matters that do not appear on the Agenda. City Council policy is to limit each speaker to three (3) minutes. Such time allotment or portion thereof shall not be transferred to other speakers. Members of the Public wishing to address the Council may submit a Speaker Card to the City Clerk and proceed to the podium after being recognized. Speakers will be called up in the order the Speaker Cards are received. Those who have not filled out a Speaker Card will be given an opportunity to speak after all those who have completed Speaker Cards have spoken. The public will be allowed to speak concurrently with the calling of an agenda item following the staff presentation of that item. Pursuant to the Brown Act, the City Council may not take action on an item that does not appear on the Agenda.

TIME ALLOTMENT FOR PUBLIC COMMENT ON NON-AGENDA ITEMS: A maximum of thirty (30) minutes shall be allotted to receiving public comments at the initial public comment period. If necessary, an additional period shall be allotted to public comments after City Manager Reports, but only if the first 30-minute Public Comment period was not sufficient to allow all those who wished to speak to do so.

#### A. PUBLIC HEARINGS

Public Hearings are scheduled for a time certain of 6:00 P.M. unless noticed otherwise, or as soon thereafter as possible.

A.1. Resolution Confirming and Ordering Special Assessments for Unpaid Garbage and Recycling Collection Fees

Recommendation: Hold a public hearing: and

Hear any objections or protests; and Make adjustment as deemed just; and

Adopt a resolution of the City Council providing for collection of fees.

#### B. CONSENT CALENDAR

Notice to the Public: All matters listed under this category are considered to be routine by the City Council and will be enacted by one motion. Pursuant to City Council Resolution 2011-22, if a member of the public would like an item on the Consent Calendar pulled and discussed separately, the request shall be made to a Councilmember prior to the meeting. Unless a specific request is made by a Councilmember, the Consent Calendar will not be read. There will be no separate discussion of these items.

- B.1. Council Meeting Minutes
  Recommendation: Approve the regular Council minutes of May 4, 2021 as submitted.
- B.2. Linc Housing Affordable Housing and Sustainable Communities Grant Application Recommendation: Adopt a resolution authorizing application for Affordable Housing and Sustainable Communities Program grant funds.
- B.3. Letter of Support California Advanced Services Fund (SB-4)
  Recommendation: Approve a letter of support for pending legislation, California Advanced Services Fund (SB-4).

## B.4. Washington Street Pump Station Equipment Purchase

Recommendation: Approve sole source purchase of six (6) sanitary sewer pumps from Xylem, Inc. (Flygt Pumps); and approve purchase from Xylem, Inc. in the amount of \$486,792.00 with an assumed tax of 8.5%, startup cost of \$6,925.00, and freight cost of \$17,280.00 for a total of \$553,591.30.

# B.5. Letter of Support – NCRA Railbanking

Recommendation: Approve a letter of support for the railbanking of the North Coast Railroad Authority's (NCRA) right-of-way from Willits to Samoa.

## B.6. Sewer Maintenance 2021 Project - Award

Recommendation: Declare Insituform Technologies, LLC the preferred bidder on Sewer Maintenance 2021 Project; and award Bid No. 2021-13 to Insituform Technologies, LLC for the amount of \$1,551,244.00; and approve \$1,700,000.00 for construction, which includes 10% for contingency

#### C. ORDINANCES/RESOLUTIONS

C.1. Text and Local Coastal Program (LCP) Amendment to increase Coastal Service Commercial (CS) Zone district building height limit from 35 feet to 55 feet

Recommendation: Waive full reading, read by title only and adopt Bill No. 996 -C.S., an "Ordinance of the City Council of the City of Eureka amending the Implementation Plan portion of the Local Coastal Program to maintain the building height limit of 35 feet within the Coastal Service Commercial (CS) Zone District inland of Highway 101 northeast of Eureka Slough", and;

Adopt "A Resolution of the City Council of the City of Eureka requesting certification of the modified Text and Local Coastal Program (LCP) ordinance to increase the Coastal Service Commercial (CS) zone district height limit from 35 feet to 55 feet."

#### D. REPORTS/ACTION ITEMS

D.1. Future Council Meetings

Recommendation: Discussion; and

Provide direction regarding how the Council will conduct future Council Meetings after June 15, 2021.

#### E. CITY MANAGER REPORTS

E.1. Housing Element Update

#### F. COUNCIL REPORTS / CITY-RELATED TRAVEL REPORTS

#### **ADJOURNMENT**

If open session items cannot be completed by 9:30 P.M., the meeting may be adjourned to the next regular meeting or Council may vote to extend the meeting.

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#### **NOTICES**

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- 1. We may disagree, but we will be respectful of one another.
- 2. All comments will be directed to the issue at hand.
- 3. Personal attacks are unacceptable
- 4. Applauding or other displays of approval/disapproval are discouraged.

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